**Cyprus Startup Visa**

**Application Form**

Application submitted by **First name and Surname**, on **dd/mm/yyyy**

Annex:

* Copy of a valid passport
* Business Plan
* CV
* Evidence providing sufficient funds available

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| Send to:*(startup.visa@mof.gov.cy)*Cyprus Startup Visa CommitteeMinistry of Finance  |

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| **Personal information and contact details** |
| ***Full name[[1]](#footnote-1)****(as stated in passport)* |  |
| ***Gender*** | n  |
| ***Date of birth****Format (dd.mm.yyyy)* |  |
| ***Place and country of birth*** |  |
| ***Nationality****(more than one if applicable)* |  |
| ***Marital Status*** |  |
| ***Address****(street, number, postcode, city, country)*  |  |
| ***Phone number****(more than one if applicable, please specify if mobile and include country code)* |  |
| ***Email address*** |  |
| ***Instant messaging*** *(e.g. Skype)* |  |
| ***LinkedIn*** |  |
| ***Twitter*** |  |
| ***Other social networks*** *(e.g. Facebook)* |  |

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| **Current OCCUPATION** |
| ***Dates*** *(from )* |  |
| ***Employer's name and******contacts*** |  |
| ***Type of company or sector*** |  |
| ***Type of employment*** *(i.e. employee, self-employment, traineeship)*  |  |
| ***Main duties***  |  |
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| **Education[[2]](#footnote-2)** |
| ***Dates*** *(from – to)* |  |
| ***Name and type of educational or training institutions*** |  |
| ***Main subjects / skills studied*** |  |
| ***Qualifications obtained*** |  |

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| **Language skills** |
| ***Mother tongue*** |  |
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|  | *Spoken* | *Reading* | *Written* |
| ***Other languages***(*Are you able to communicate in Greek and/or English)* |  |  |  |

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| **Business model of innovative startup[[3]](#footnote-3)** |
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| ***I want to…*** | ☐ *Establish a new innovative startup* |
| ☐ *Move an established innovative startup to Cyprus* |
| ☐ *Join an existing innovative startup as a working shareholder* |
| ***My startup*** | *Description of the idea, how you intend to develop it and the status of your proposed idea* |
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| ***My potential***  | *Target market and growth objectives* |
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| ***My team***  | *The team is an added value for startups. Who will be involved in your business? What experience do they have? And what will be your role?* |
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| ***Available Funding [[4]](#footnote-4)****(Applicants for the Start-up visa are required to have secured funding of €50,000 (or €25,000 if more than one founder in the Start-up)* | *Have you any funds of your own to invest? Have you received any bank loans or equity investment from investment companies, venture capital funds or business angels?*  |
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| ***Why Cyprus Startup Visa*** | *How did you hear about the Cyprus Startup Visa scheme? Why did you choose Cyprus to set up your startup?* |
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The undersigned, *First name and Surname*, born in *town/city (country)* on *dd.mm.yyyy*, of citizenship *country*, passport no. yyyy*yyy*, issued on *dd.mm.yyyy*, resident in *town/city (country)*, for the purpose of obtaining a startup visa (please tick) ☐ to establish a new innovative startup ☐ to move existing innovative startup to Cyprus ☐ to join as a working shareholder in an innovative startup in Cyprus,

**HEREBY REQUESTS** a Notification of Initial Approval from the Cyprus Startup Visa Committee at the Ministry of Finance as a pre-requisite to obtain a startup visa for non-EU citizens intending to set up, move or join an ***innovative startup*** in Cyprus.

I declare that the information I have given is truthful, complete and correct.

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| Your location,[[5]](#footnote-5) *dd/mm/yyyy* |  | Signature |
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1. Please provide a copy of your valid passport [↑](#footnote-ref-1)
2. Please provide your Curiculum Vitae (CV) [↑](#footnote-ref-2)
3. Please provide a Business Plan [↑](#footnote-ref-3)
4. Please evidence providing sufficient funds availlable [↑](#footnote-ref-4)
5. The place you are sending this application from. [↑](#footnote-ref-5)